

This Side
Of The Sun

By Phat

If today's thesis is a bit more disconnected than usual, blame it on moving day at The Sun. . . Furniture flitting around . . . Doors propped open letting the flies in to stamp on my head . . . I don't dare get up or I'd find my chair gone . . . Already had to protest twice when R. H. Mann, engaged for the purpose of chaperoning the furniture from here to there, tried to move this desk and typewriter out from under my nose while I was right in the middle of a sentence . . . Grant Wood is major domo of the migration . . . Has been going around putting signs on desks and chairs for the information of movers . . . So they'll know where to take them . . . Some items, not to be moved, are for sale . . . For instance, was shocked this morning to come in and see Wild Bill sitting in a chair on the back of which was a sign: "For Sale, \$2.00" . . . At first, I thought they meant Bill. ♦♦♦

MOVING DAY at the office is similar to moving day at home. The same expressions are used. "What do you want to save that for?" . . . "This is no good, let's junk it." . . . Only difference is that down here at the office, the remarks are more or less put out as suggestions . . . At home, they are ultimatums . . . The big thing about this moving day is what to do with the pictures and letters and copies of poems, newspaper clippings and the like, that Villagers brought in and left with the admonition: "Be sure to save this for me, I want it back." . . . In the drawer where the "Will Call" items are carefully stored in the best helterskelter style, are some marked "1943" . . . Looks like the statute of limitations has caught up with them . . . That was Harry Mann again, the third attempt to pick the typewriter off my desk while I was practically in the middle of a word . . . Just as long as he doesn't try to move the desk out from under the typewriter . . . They are still hard to get. ♦♦♦

COMPLAINTS poured in this week . . . City Manager Bill Ilworth was at the head of the Protest Parade . . . "I don't mind anyone taking a little bit of poetic license when he has to fill 20 inches of space with something . . . I said a 'little'." But poetic license stretched by three and a half years is too much . . . That hump in the sidewalk on which you said you'd been stubbing your toe for four and half years, hasn't been there a year. It buckled up one hot day last July . . . So if you've been stubbing your toe since the fall of 1942, it wasn't on the sidewalk. What an imagination! ♦♦♦

MOVING DAY may cover more territory than first contemplated. While the furniture goes to The Center, I may go to the city jail . . . Seems I'm in contempt of court . . . Judge Gene Theriault was the second man in the squawk squadron this week . . . Apparently that yarn about the lizards standing on their hind legs to cool off their feet on hot days is one of his and when I said Tuesday that it had been debunked, I stepped on judicial toes . . . The judge says that the lizards do stand up to cool their toes when the sun broils the sidewalks and pavements . . . Says he can prove it . . . I'd like to see the judge get down prone on the pavement to photograph the scene! ♦♦♦

ANOTHER CARD was signed "Pop" and apparently came from Postmaster R. M. Gorham who is "Pop" to his friends . . . "Pop" writes: "If the lizard doesn't lift its legs from the pavement because of the heat, then why does he stop every once in a while in hot weather to spit on his stomach?" . . . Well, now maybe, someone will write into say that a lizard, because the way nature designed him, can't spit . . . Also came two telephone calls that lizards DO stand up, only the informants called them "chuck-wallas" . . . Just stepped out a minute and came back to find a sign on the back of my chair: "Fragile, handle with care." ♦♦♦

THE MAIL brought another card from the W. Z. Allens, now on tour of the nation . . . This one was from Idaho Falls, Idaho, and was decorated on the back with a picture of the west entrance to Yellowstone national park; "They charge \$3 to go through here," wrote Mrs. Allen. "Walter says Palm Springs should erect a gate at either end of town and adopt that idea as a revenue source." . . . Sounds logical . . . Should have thought of that before the election to quiet the fears of those who thought the city might go bankrupt. ♦♦♦

COMES a letter, too, from Jimmy Shea, in the east to pick up a new automobile . . . He enclosed a clipping from the resort columns of an eastern paper. It concerned an "ideally situated cabin on the river—\$75 for all season" . . . It was from Mrs. G.'s old home town of Osceola, Iowa, and Jimmy's comment was "Why, oh why, did you leave Iowa?" . . . Well, this is it, the last from 349 North Palm Canyon drive . . . Mann has both hands on the typewriter and won't let go so I'll have to quit . . . One last remark while he tugs—Frank "Pop" Shannon came into The Sun office one time when I was the only one present . . . "Oh, the Deserted Sun," he said, adding a syllable . . . Well, next Monday this building will be just that.

TEMPERATURES	Max.	Min.
Tuesday, May 27	82	60
Wednesday, May 28	94	54
Thursday, May 29	95	56

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Avak Will Leave Village Next Week



FOUR VOTES AWAY—Counting the absentee ballots at city hall Tuesday were Mrs. Henrietta Parker, Mrs. Thekla Grimm (standing), Mrs. Ellis Gottbehuet, Mrs. Harriet Henderson, Councilman Armand Turonnet. City Attorney Roy Colegate, second from right, was there to advise the board. Jerry Sanborn, right, was one of the score of spectators at the count. (Desert Sun photo.)

N.Y. Theater Men Purchase Villa Hermosa

Villa Hermosa, apartment-hotel which was opened for the first time last October by Charles K. Fulton, was sold this week to Arthur and Alvin Meyer of Brentwood and New York City.

The transaction was handled for both the buyer and seller by Miss Muriel E. Fulton, realtor. The consideration involved is reported at approximately \$350,000.

THE NEW OWNERS together with another brother, Lester Meyer, are co-owners of the famous Empire Theater in New York City. Lester however, has no interest in the Villa Hermosa deal.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meyer and Alvin Meyer came to Palm Springs early this Fall and became so enthusiastic about the beauty, winter climate and future of Palm Springs that they decided to make the Village their permanent home. They also own a home in Brentwood, suburb of Los Angeles, and have been residents of California for a year.

THE NEW OWNERS plan many improvements, both in service and additions, just as soon as possible and will re-open Villa Hermosa in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Fulton, (no relation to Miss Fulton) have been annual visitors to Palm Springs for many seasons. Fulton came here from Portland, Oregon, where he was in business for many years.

The Villa Hermosa is one of the most modern apartment-hotels to be built in Palm Springs and boasts of many modern innovations. Almost overnight it became popular among many leading names in the nation who came to Palm Springs to make the apartments their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton plan to take an extended tour this summer.

County Supervisors this week continued conference with department heads on the proposed new salary ordinance subject of heated debate over a period of several weeks.

Last One

Next Week to See Sun in New Office

Today's issue of The Desert Sun is the last to be published from the offices at 359 North Palm Canyon drive where they have been located for the past four and one half years.

This week-end is moving time for The Sun staff and on Monday, June 2, the staff will be doing business at 174c North Palm Canyon Drive—in The Center. The new offices are located near the site of the building being erected to house the offices and mechanical plant of The Sun in The Center.

Telephone numbers will remain the same—2249 for the business, display and classified advertising and commercial printing departments and 3741 for the editorial department.

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With school closing this week, many families have already packed their suitcases and are ready to take off for a summer vacation. Ted Griffith's are looking forward to four months in British Columbia where they are property owners. They plan to leave Saturday and drive up the coast. This is the first time in twenty years that Mrs. Griffith has been able to get her family off the desert for the summer months which is certainly a long record. Tom Griffith, who graduated from high school Thursday evening, will enter the University of New Mexico in the fall.

Mrs. Theodore G. Robinson leaves Tuesday with her family for their home in Marysville, Missouri. Sally Robinson will remain in her native state next year to attend Christian College for Girls. Ted and Claire Reed will occupy the same cottage in Oceanside this summer and are planning to make the move this weekend. Ted will return to his business here and will probably fly down for weekends as he did last summer. The Earl Coffmans left on Wednesday of this week as did the Gordon Clarks who will occupy their new cabin in Idyllwild formerly the abode of Vera and Gordon Nicholson. The Walter MacWaters took off for Portland this week and will undoubtedly spend most of the summer in their lovely ranch house in the Oregon hills before returning to the Village next winter.

Kenny and Virginia Paul feted those newlyweds, Swede and Stella Davis, at a bridal supper and shower Saturday night. Guests included members of the staff at Kenny's station and old friends of the couple.

Dining at the Doll House Saturday evening were members of the Eagle Beever club who were graciously serenaded by Sue. She also worked in a nice little number for Pop Strode. Also visiting this popular spot were Rufus and Mary Dot Chapman from Hermosa, Pat Boyer, Marge Pohl and Barbara Inman, Jack and Dottie Gorham and Alan and Mary Helen.

The Doll House Kids, Ethel and George Strode, wrote a finis to a grand and glorious season by

**Call Election on
Lights in Desert
Hot Springs Area**

Desert Hot Springs is going to vote on the question of formation of a light district. It was decided by board of supervisors in session this week. County Council Earl Redwine was instructed to draw up a resolution calling the election after a heated hearing by proponents and opponents of the lighting plan.

Opponents wanted Hot Springs to remain in the rural class. Hunter B. Nelson headed the faction against lights. He said the streets were so bad that their condition shouldn't be made more evident by lights, that lights would attract insects and prevent proper appreciation of the moon and stars.

ROBERT ERMISCH backed him up, deplored the plan to modernize the community with street lights. The opponents claimed 70 signatures on their petition against lights.

B. E. Daizell, speaking for the Desert Hot Springs Improvement Association and J. D. Bailey, for the chamber of commerce, were heartily in favor of street lighting.

MRS. VIOLA DINSMORE, speaking for the many women present, declared that Desert Hot Springs should get out of the "hick" class and assume the responsibilities of a modern town. She is proprietor of the Blue Haven Ranch, and said she had lived at Desert Hot Springs for 14 years.

"It is time," she said, "that we take our place with other modern communities in Riverside county and in California."

**New Grocery
in Cathedral City**

Alfred F. Patane, ex-army officer, who was stationed at the Army Airfield here during the latter part of World War II, announced yesterday that he has opened a self-service market in Cathedral City.

Entering the service from New York City, a taste of desert living decided him against returning to his home state on discharge from the Army. For a time he was employed as an officer in the United States Employment Service and War Assets Administration in Indio.

He is the father of two children both born in Palm Springs. He and his wife Jean will manage the new business in Cathedral City.

Alfred, who is a member of the Owen Coffman Post of the American Legion, said that his new business establishment will be known as "Al's Market" and will swing its doors open to customers June 3.

In addition to the general line of groceries carried, Patane said there will be a meat and vegetable department.

"We intend to keep open all summer," he declared.

**Local S. P. Office
Open All Summer**

Charles McGann of the local Southern Pacific ticket office, was getting ready today to say goodbye to the Village for the summer months. He will be transferred to another S.P. office and, after a vacation trip to the midwest late in the summer, will return here in the fall.

James G. Shea, travelling passenger agent here, will return Sunday night from a trip to the east, driving a new automobile. He will be at the local office, which will remain open, all summer.

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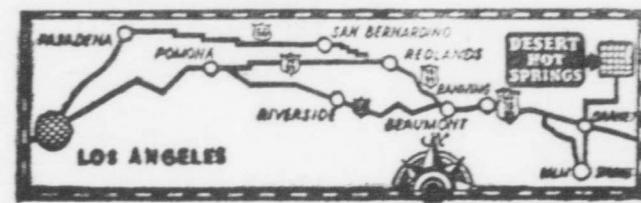
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Two Services at Episcopal Church On June Sundays

The Episcopal church of St. Paul in the Desert will have only the two Sunday services during the month of June at the regular hours of 8 a. m. and 11 a. m. Sunday school closed last Sunday for the summer.

The Rev. Robert M. Hogarth, rector, will preach this coming Sunday, which is Trinity Sunday, on "Our Need of the Holy Spirit for Complete Bodily Health."

"**MOST OF US,**" he said "have only childish and immature conception of the Christian doctrine of the Trinity; that it means three Gods in One. It is simply man's way of stating his belief that God is Infinite in His life-giving power to His children, not limited in any way. Three is an ancient mystical symbol of infinity, and the early Christians had no trouble in understanding the Trinity."

Nicodemus was not a Christian when Jesus spoke to Him in the words of the text: "That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the spirit is spirit. Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again (from above)! It is significant that the Greek word, 'another,' translated by the English 'again,' means 'from above' in the Greek. It is not a mere repetition of the same kind of fleshy birth which caused the hardened literalist Nicodemus so much confusion, but a new and higher kind of birth, that of the soul, the spirit. Man is not 'whole' until the spirit of God rules in some degree his fleshy nature. A vigorous fleshy body is not possible without it."

SERVICES WILL END for the summer on the last Sunday in June.

Rev. Hogarth will leave July 3 for Rochester, Minnesota, where he will be the guest of Harold H. Crawford.

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FRIDAY, May 30

1:00—House Party
1:30—Meet the Missus
2:00—Eric Severeid
2:15—Wash. Report
2:30—Red Barber, spts
2:45—Robert Trout
3:00—Music Masterwks.
3:30—Sound Off
4:00—Very Special Songs
4:15—Melody Mouse
4:30—Easy Listenin'
4:45—Songs of the west
4:45—Bill Henry
5:00—Front Pg Features
5:15—in the Sportlite
5:30—Harry W. Flannery
5:45—Bob Garred, news
5:55—Desert news runup
6:00—Days to be Ignored
6:30—My Friend Irma
7:00—Lowell Thomas
7:15—Jack Smith
7:30—Free-for-All
7:45—Carroll Alcott
8:00—Baby Snooks
8:30—Thin Man
8:35—One Munson
9:00—Ginny Smith
9:30—Benny More
10:00—Chet Hunter
10:15—Milton Charles
10:30—Music for Party
12:00—Sign Off.

SATURDAY, May 31

6:58—Sign On
7:00—Warren Sweeney
7:05—Sundiallers Club
7:25—Torney Talk
7:30—Bob Garred, news
7:45—Let's go Western
8:00—Theater of Today
8:30—Stars, Hollywood
9:00—Grand Central st.
9:30—County Fair
10:00—Give and Take
10:30—Adventurers club
11:00—Lucky Lee Taylor
11:30—Let's Pretend
11:55—News
12:00—E. Lawrence Orch
12:30—Belmonts Stakes
1:00—Crosssection U.S.A.
1:30—Beneke & Miller
2:00—Bill Shadie, news
2:15—Word from the Country
2:30—Sports Review
2:45—Larry Lesuer
3:00—Sat. Scoreboard
3:30—Sat. Scoreboard
4:00—Record Showcase
4:15—Easy Listenin'
4:45—Songs of the West
4:45—New Customer news
5:00—Get State Treas'y
5:15—in the Sportlite
5:30—Harry W. Flannery
5:45—Bob Garred, news
5:55—Hi Neighbor
6:00—There is Hollywood
6:30—Sweeney-March
7:00—Dinner Concert
7:30—Mayor of the Twin
7:55—Carroll Alcott

SUNDAY, June 1

8:00—Vaughn Monroe
8:30—Jean Sablon
8:45—Dance Time
9:00—Sat. nite Serenade
9:30—Music for party
10:00—Chet Huntley
10:15—Music for party
12:00—Sign Off.

TUESDAY, June 3

6:30—Sign On
7:00—Warren Sweeney
7:05—Sundiallers Club
7:25—Torney Talk
7:30—Tony Martin shw
7:45—Kate Smith
7:55—Sam Spade
8:00—Corliss Archer
8:30—Couple Next Door
8:55—Torney Talk
9:00—Sam Spade
9:30—Music Masterwks.
10:00—C. Huntley, news
10:15—Univ. Explorer
10:30—Music for Party
11:30—Sign Off.

MONDAY, June 2

6:30—Sign On
7:00—Warren Sweeney
7:05—Sundiallers Club
7:25—Torney Talk
7:30—Bob Garred, news
7:45—Fred Beck
8:00—Notes for the Day
8:15—Aunt Jenny
8:30—Helen Trent
8:45—Our Gal Sunday
9:00—Big Sister
9:15—Ma Perkins
9:30—Young Dr. Malone
9:45—Road of Life
10:00—Lone Journey
10:15—Perry Mason
10:30—Kate Smith
10:45—Perry Mason
10:55—Rose of Dreams

Wednesday, June 4

6:30—Sign On
7:00—Warren Sweeney
7:05—Sundiallers Club
7:25—Torney Talk
7:30—Bob Garred, news
7:45—Fred Beck
8:00—Notes for the Day
8:15—Aunt Jenny
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What Goes on in Palm Valley

In Mexico it's "Manana." In Palm Valley folks "Stop by," but the answer is the same, nothing ever gets done. For example Claire Leahy "Stops By" Neva Munchoff's adobe hacienda for coffee. After they hash things over a while both "Stop By" across the wash at Ruth Gurney's rambling ranch home.

By now, it's lunch and the trio "check in" at the pink Palm Dell office on their way to Irma Gurley's at Palm Village. Time marches on into the weekend when the men-folk arrive to take over the "Stop By" chain link.

A TYPICAL SUNDAY goes something like this: Bill Polkinghorn begins his house-to-house canvas about 3 a.m., Frank Clancy looking for a playmate to take a dip in the Palm Desert pool at 5 a.m., Doc Gurley gets his first call in about 6 a.m., Conky Conkwright mows us down with his new records of bird imitations. Harry Scott enthusiastic about his set of plans for a modernistic house. Mary and Grant Wood, Peg and Bill Rashall in to stock up with tree ripened grapefruit.

Bill Munchoff showing off his new car icebox, a present to him from Jimmy Young of the Valley company's equipment is busy

Lumber company, Indio, for his long awaited vacation to Oregon and Washington. U. S. Commissioner Ed Fitzgerald planning a new three room estate. His recently completed home with all the additions, changes and plans got too large for them. Admiral Charles Weitzel from Long Beach thrilled about his new home here. Walter Melrose was last to "Stop By" giving us the dope on his new tract on the other side of Cathedral City.

AT RANCHO MIRAGE Dave Culver sold his blue house to Ernest Waltz of Balboa. He plans to start a new one in the R. M. Estates.

Colonel Banning recently aide to General Hodges now retired after thirty years service in the U. S. Army planning to settle in Rancho Mirage.

Palm Village Inn yesterday evening at dinner were the King Gillettes, Amos and Nell Odell, Mrs. Gillette Senior, George J. Wise and Dr. and Mrs. Mrs. Joseph A. D'Alessio. All enjoying the hospitality of Dorothy and Cliff Robson.

AT PALM DELL the R. P. Shea company's equipment is busy

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R-1—Warm Sands 100 x 125 3250.00

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Friday, May 30, 1947

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The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated in the Community church at both the morning and evening service this Sunday, the Rev. James Blackstone, minister, said this week.

New members will be received into the church and the Sacrament of Baptism will be administered to infants.

Rev. Blackstone will give a brief communion meditation. A quartet, composed of Mrs. Holly Lash Visel, Mrs. Matt Fowler, Richard Hunton and Rev. Blackstone, will sing Harker's "How Beautiful the Mountains."

Young people will participate in the evening service and Rev. Blackstone will preach on the subject, "The Greatest Power in the World."

working on the new parkway along highway 111.

A delegation from the AMVETS was out looking over Palm Valley for a spot to stage their June hay-ride. The way Rudy Salazar talks it will be THE affair of the season. More about it next week.

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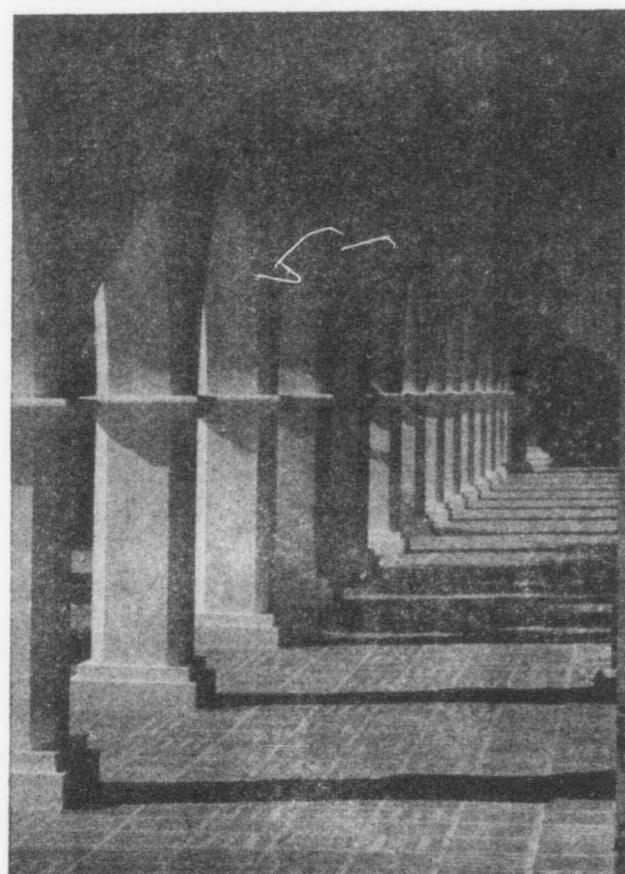
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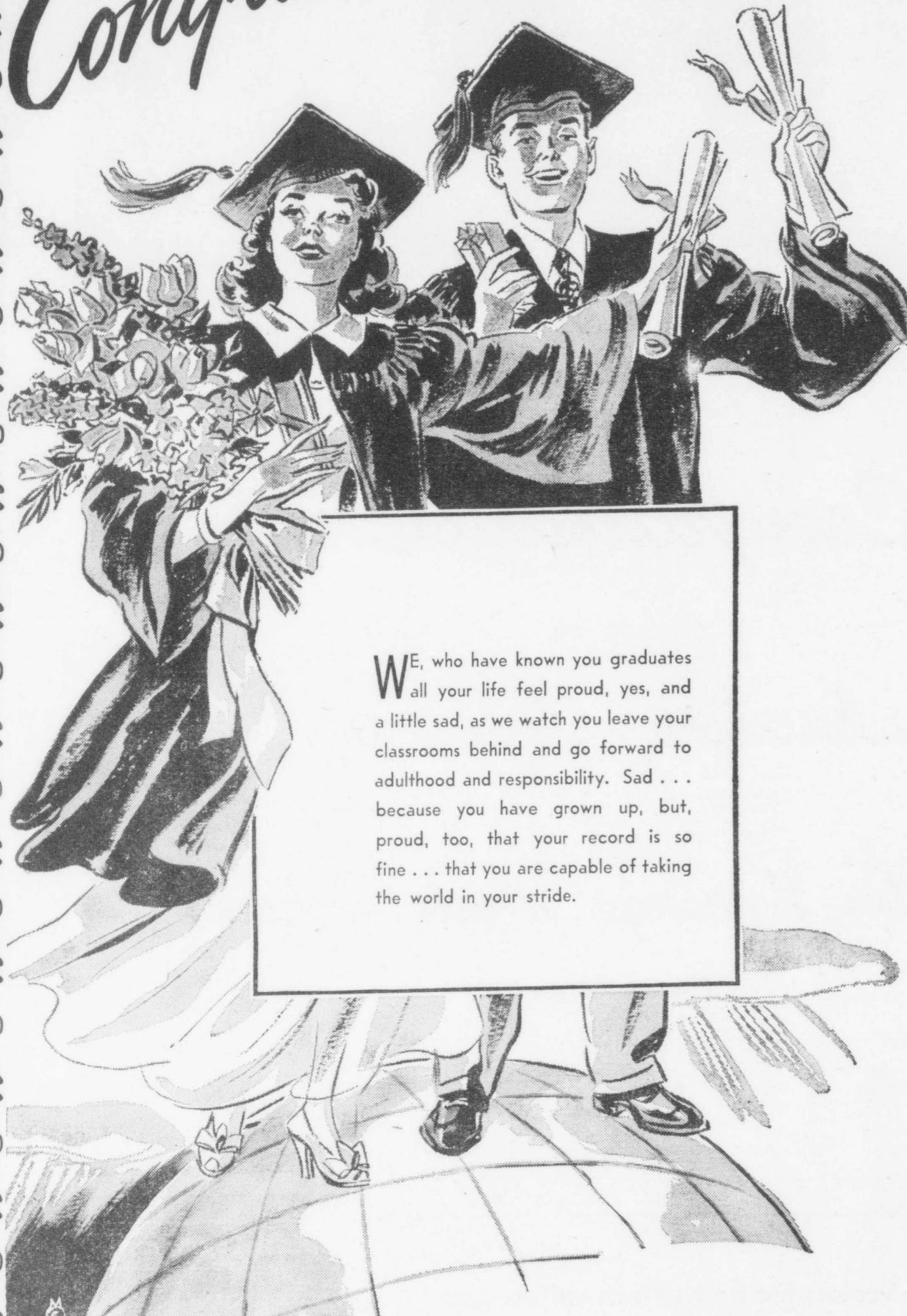
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Cathedral City News Roundup

Reported by MACK MOORE

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Probably the greatest single factor in the efforts of the community to achieve adequate protection against the hazards of fire was realized last week. At a cost of \$5500, the firehouse, formerly located near the Tamarisk gate at the Torney hospital, was purchased and will be moved to Cathedral City.

This building, of excellent construction, can house adequately two pieces of fire fighting equipment, has living quarters for the firemen, and provides the necessary space for meetings of the volunteer firemen. The structure will be placed on the west side of Cathedral Canyon drive at 3rd street. It is hoped that eventually there will not only be the large state-owned truck but also a town-owned unit which will be available for emergency work in Cathedral, in the event that the other truck is out of town on a fire-fighting mission.

At last Tuesday night's mass meeting on the fire control question, approximately twelve persons pledged their financial support to the extent of about \$4,000. The town will be required to furnish the foundation and apron to the building and the plumbing requirements for the kitchen and lavatories.

All our experience seems to show that the security of children depends in a large degree upon the serenity of the adults who care for them, upon their spontaneous affection, their understanding and their tolerance. —Miss Sybil Brown, former mental health tutor, London School of Economics.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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KCMJ—Desert Sun—News Daily
at 5:55 P. M.

Cathedral City Personals

Doris, Fern and Elen Brown are mighty proud of their new and handsome black Kaiser automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Schutz have returned to Olympia, Washington. Mr. Schutz has completely recovered from a bronchial condition and is grateful to our desert air and sunshine.

The Bert Wade's are now officially occupying their new home on E street. We are happy for them.

La Verle Ring was hostess at a surprise potluck dinner in honor of Curt's birthday last week. Those present were the John Palmer's and the Irving Sussman's of Cathedral and the Ray Kelley's of Palm Springs.

There is a new plunge in town. Yes, Johnny Palmer has completed a miniature pool for his small and attractive daughter, Vicki. The only other pool we know of in town is on the property recently sold by Joe Walsh, now of Sun Valley, Idaho.

In honor of Mrs. John B. Dwyer, a surprise shower was given at the school last week by the first and second grade mothers' committee, headed by Evelyn Camp and Olivia Jordan. Ice cream and cake, beautifully decorated by Winona Smedley, was served.

Mrs. Jeanne McCall was guest of honor at a "Stork shower" given by Jackie Martin and Dorothy Maddox at the Desert Lodge. Many lovely gifts were received and delightful refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Word was received from Mary and Jim Wolseth that they were playing with floods and tornados in Oklahoma, they were expecting to make their next stop Hot Springs, Ark., that is if their luck held out. Mrs. Lucy Abels left them at Tulsa.

Ahnay and Johnny Rater are leaving the 29th of this month for Texas. Johnny's attending a family reunion, and both are taking a well earned rest.

The A. M. Petersens wish they had listened to the old timers advice to "stay through May." They have been shivering from the cold, in their hotel room at Pocatello, Idaho. It has been raining there for four or five days, and is quite chilly. But they had a very lovely trip, they took the coastal route to San Francisco and on northward to take a look at the giant redwood trees. From there they cut through Oregon to Boise, Idaho, and on to Pocatello. They expressed a wish to be back on the desert to thaw out. They will visit for two weeks with their son before continuing on to their cabin at Big Springs, Idaho.

Judge Orfa Jean Shontz and Marjorie Tatum of Los Angeles spent several weeks at "Solheim."

Miss Eva Woodruff and Mrs. Jean Teitzel spent the weekend with Lydia Engh.

Anita Sykes entertained several of her friends on the 19th honoring her 9th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hillery and Jack combined a business trip into the San Bernardino mountains with pleasure Wednesday and spent the remainder of the day and evening with the Frank Russells at Valley View. Edna and Claude Cobb preceded them there with a stack of delicious steaks from Smedley's meat department, so a feast was enjoyed by all in the grill room.

The boss Communist was unable to recall any of his six other names a remarkable showing which in a quiz hour would entitle him to the all-expense Yellowstone tour accompanied by dozens of household appliances.

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for News

Garbage Payments Asked Before End Of Present Month

By F. M. M.

Garbage collection payments for the next three months should now be paid to Mr. Kopp at the Cathedral drug store. The sanitary committee of the chamber of commerce urge that all payments be made prior to June 1. While L. C. Lewis, the chairman, is away during the summer, any problems regarding collection or payments for this service may be referred to Curt Ring.

Blue receipt cards will replace the white ones, now expiring. Unless the blue card is displayed, no garbage will be collected subsequent to June 5.

New Managers at Oil Station

The Texaco station at the corner of Broadway and Glenn streets is now co-leased by Edward E. Beshears and Andrew Lester. Mr. Beshears, a veteran of World War II, is the manager and plans to be here through the summer. Both men were previously employed in Pasadena.

M. Lester eventually plans to operate in the valley, a ceramics industry and to teach classes in pottery making.

Canadian Visitors Depart for Home

Mrs. H. D. McLachlin, who has been spending some time with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Green, in their new home on Camino Del Norte, left last week for Canada.

Mrs. McLachlin is traveling by way of Southern Pacific and is accompanied by her nieces, Miss Flora McKelvie of Long Beach, and Mrs. John McKelvie of Prince Albert, Canada, who were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Green.

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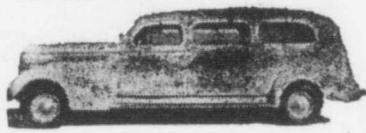


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John L. Yount, Secretary of the National Archery Association, will be the speaker at a meeting of the Palm Springs Fish & Game Association, to be held at the Fire Hall Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Yount will trace the history of archery from the early days of bows and arrows as used by Indian tribes. He will have with him many types of bows and arrows used throughout the world.

The speaker states that last year alone 7000 licenses to hunt deer with bow and arrow were issued by the state of Washington. Members of the Association came from all over the world to try their skill. California is encouraging this sport by opening the season for archers one week before the regular hunting season opens.

President Harold Lienau urges all members of the Fish & Game Association to attend this meeting, which promises to be an interesting one, and cordially invites any Villagers or guests who may be interested in the subject of archery.

Former Village Girl Will Wed in East June 14

Word was received here today of the impending marriage of Miss Lois Woodbury, well known in the Village, to Alfred Haikara, of Finland, a medical student at the University of Vermont.

Miss Woodbury is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn B. Woodbury, also well known Villagers. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Haikara, of Finland.

Miss Woodbury was formerly a member of The Desert Sun staff. The marriage will be solemnized at Bethel, Vermont, on June 14.

MORE ABOUT . . .

Dillon Denial . . .

to the governor and would represent a coalition of two separate political factions in Idaho. This effort was of no avail," Harper added.

It was not until all hope of obtaining such a candidate had been abandoned when Harper was asked if he would allow his name to be used on a petition to the manager of the Chamber of Commerce declared.

"I ONLY AGREED to permit my name to be placed on a petition," Harper continued, when I learned that a majority of the leading citizens of desert communities were behind the petition, nevertheless petition or no petition, the selection of a man to fill Dillon's vacancy is entirely in the hands of Governor Warren and I know that he will appoint who to him will seem, after thorough investigation, the proper man for the job."

It was learned in Riverside that Dillon will resign just as soon as his pension rate under a retirement act is computed by state officials. His application for pension is now in Sacramento and the processing doesn't usually take more than two weeks. Under the circumstances then, Dillon is expected to resign soon now.

MORE ABOUT . . .

Healer Avak . . .

Chaffey and Terry Ray, local realtor, moved about the prone forms of people eagerly awaiting the dawn and the warmth of the desert sun, and passed out coffee from midnight to 7 a.m. Wednesday morning. During the early morning hours and the previous evening members of the Welfare and Friendly Aid association distributed milk. Other persons in the Village also assisted.

IN ANNOUNCING the coming departure of Avak, D. Arkelian said that many of his friends and acquaintances in the Village had asked for opportunities to see Avak but the only manner in which the healer would see these people was by appointment and if their names were not on the list for any one day, he would not see them.

"No one can dictate to Avak," declared Eddie. "His decision to take a rest away from everybody and in seclusion came from him alone. He wants to have a two-week rest and in absolute seclusion," Arkelian added.

EVER SINCE AVAK arrived in Palm Springs he attempted to find time for rest from his long journey from Iran but the many who flocked to Palm Springs begging for his ministrations, made that impossible. Newsmen yesterday noticed that the young faith healer showed extreme signs of fatigue.

"What Avak's plans are after his rest period," declared both Eddie and D., "is only known by Avak himself." Both men declared that there is no assurance that Avak will decide to return to Palm Springs.

During the huge crowds on Wednesday, Chief of Police August Kettmann dispatched patrolman Aaron Kuk, Charles Valentino and Jim Maynard to direct traffic and assist in dispersing the throngs when the appointment book was filled, completing all engagements for Avak until Thursday evening June 5.

Final Report Shows Desert Circus Deficit

Final reports of the 1947 Desert Circus were submitted this week to a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Circus Association by General Chairman Barney Hinkle and sub-chairmen in charge of the several events of Circus Week.

The reports showed that the 1947 edition of the Circus, due to a combination of circumstances over which the association had no control, failed to realize a surplus which was anticipated as part of a building fund for the Desert Museum.

CHIEF FACTORS in the failure of the Circus to make a "profit" were the nation-wide telephone strike which began three days before the Circus, the exceptional heat which kept thousands of persons away from the desert on the final two days of the program, and the heavy check-out from hotels immediately after Easter on April 6, three days prior to the opening event, it was agreed by the Circus board members.

Part of the deficits of the American Legion Rodeo and the VFW-Amvet Air Circus was assumed by the Circus Association since the latter stood to receive a portion of any profits the two groups might have realized from the two programs.

Frank Bennett, president of the Circus Association, presided at the meeting.

Sarthou's First Trial Postponed, Others Coming Up

Alexander Sarthou, wealthy business and home owner here, who evidenced a love for jury trials after each and every time he was arrested, five times in all, Tuesday morning won a postponement of his first jury hearing after Judge Eugene E. Therneau had ordered the assemblage of 20 men, good and true, as a panel from which the jury was to have been drawn.

At the request of the defense counsel, and agreed upon by the prosecuting attorney, Judge Therneau granted the postponement until June 3.

Following the trial, now scheduled for June 3, Sarthou will face a jury June 13, 20, and 27.

All of the charges are for disturbing the peace with the exception of one when he is alleged to have been operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquors. Disposition of the fifth case has not yet been set.

Council Assists Desert Museum Building Plan

City council in session last Tuesday night voted to permit the Desert Museum to move one of the former ward buildings of Torney General Hospital to the recently donated site at Tahquitz drive and Indian avenue.

The Museum has not yet acquired one of the buildings from War Assets Administration but negotiations now under way are expected to be successful. The building will be set back 20 feet from Tahquitz drive and 20 feet distant from the Welwood Murray Library.

City Closed as Result of Holiday

Palm Springs observed Memorial Day with most stores closed for the day.

City offices, Bank of America and The Desert Sun will be closed tomorrow as well as today.

Official observance of the day was under auspices of the Owen B. Coffman Post, American Legion, which conducted impressive services at the cemetery this morning.

Local Winner Best in South

Marlene Bauer, the 13-year-old girl who charmed in last month's Palm Springs Women's Golf tournament, which she won, today has a new honor. She has been awarded the Helms Foundation prize as the outstanding athlete in southern California, for the month of April.

In that month she won the Palm Springs tournament, the Los Angeles city women's tournament and finished second to her 19-year-old sister, Alice, in the Catalina tourney. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bauer of Long Beach.



LARGEST—Nellie N. Coffman Junior high last night awarded diplomas to 80 eighth-graders at exercises at the school. It was the largest class in the school's history. Pictured above are the youths who go up on to high school next fall. From left to right: First row—Tom Alexander, Henry Garcia, Henry Macias, Marvin Hale, Calvin Lacy, DeArts Davis, Jimmy Dills, John Wells, Ray Parker, Kenneth Johnson, Wesley Martin, Rudy Salazar, Jack Crosby. Second row—Ronald Nelson, Roland Hiltzsch, Jeremy Crocker, George Skuse, Rex Riley, Barry DeVorzon, Paul Cleaves, Ellie Alexander, Charles Smith, Delma Hines, Robert Porter, Oscar Prieto, Robert Mennell, Robert Kelley, Frank Duncan. Third row—Betty Sandoval, Helen Lewis, Florence Stark, Elodia Mar-

quez, Cora Santa Cruz, Elvira Sanchez, Joan Wallace, LaVerne Gotseff, Virginia Pike, Sandra Cordrey, Doreen Ehler, Betsy Stagg, Louise Beebe, Susan Oliver, Leota Lovett, Alberta Martin, Yvonne Mandinach, Mary Yamate, Shirley Lockett, Doris Parker, Dorothy Petty. Fourth row—Joy Kelley, Augusta Houseman, Joanne Lewis, Joan Brooks, Pat Hall, Jane Taylor, Mary Pendery, Diane Cross, Maureen Hoban, Marlene Lewis, June Green, Jean Upton, Shirley Mizysak, Dianne Jackson, Grace Rorick. Fifth row—Gerald Maloof, Bill Leonessio, Maurice Taylor, Irma Taucher, Don Henson, Roy Eldridge, Bill Hotchkiss, Dick Shea, Edward Griffing, Joe Garcia, Jimmy Thomas, Allan Bond, Jack Bentzen.

MORE ABOUT . . .

Honor Students . . .

to. She is sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary unit here.

THE SCENE of the outdoor program was a colorful one and a large number of parents and friends of the graduating class was present to witness the affair and congratulate the class.

Classes will be resumed at Palm Springs high school Sept. 15.

Between 350 and 400 parents and friends were present at the Nellie N. Coffman Junior High school graduating ceremonies on the patio of the school Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

Honor awards were given students by the American Legion, Daughters of the American Legion, Riverside, and Holly Lash Visel.

GERALD K. SANBORN, commander of the Owen B. Coffman Post of the American Legion, presented Doreen Ehler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ehler and to Dick Shea, the annual award for citizenship, service, honor, scholarship and dependability.

Mrs. Paloma Prouty, representing the Riverside chapter of the DAR presented Joan Wallace, of 1000 Palms and Jeremy Crocker, her organization's award for citizenship, service, dependability and honor.

MUSIC AWARDS given by Holly Lash Visel were given to May Pendery and Susan Oliver. Honorable mention in musical endeavor were given to Joan Brooks and Jimmy Dills.

Representing the Palm Springs Woman's Club, Mrs. Harold Murphy its president awarded a certificate for scholastic progress and citizenship to Henry Macias.

Lions in Last Formal Session

Palm Springs Lions Club closed their season of formal luncheon meetings yesterday at the Doll House. As it was the last session of the season, no speaker was on the program and the individual members of the club were given a chance to talk by President Ray Sorum.

Informal meetings will be held weekly during the summer months with regular meetings to be renewed in the fall.

At yesterday's meeting a sizeable sum was raised for the milk fund, a Lion-sponsored institution which provides milk for needy school children.

Storage Room Fire Does \$350 Damage

Fire of unknown origin early yesterday morning did approximately \$350 damage at the Sunny Sands apartments, North Palm Canyon drive.

The blaze was discovered at 3:58 a.m. Firemen confined the fire to the small storeroom where it started.

Earlier in the week fire starting from a lead melting pot, for a time threatened the Limelight building, also on North Palm Canyon drive.

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Team	W	L
Boys Club	2	0
Lions Club	1	1
Mexican Colony	1	1
Desert H. S.	0	1
Gay 20's	0	1
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At the end of the second week of play in the City Nightball league, the Boys' Club and Mexican Colony teams looked like the ones to beat to take the honors.

Monday night the Boys' Club added number two to the list when they took the Gay 20s team by a score of 25 to 4. The Gay 20s, formerly the Colored All Stars, were wobbly in the field, making nine errors. These coupled with 19 hits, accounted for the club's 25 runs.

THE BIG INNING was the 5th for the Boys. They gathered in an even dozen runs in this one and put Roberts, chucking for the losers, away. McGonigal, with three hits out of four times up and six runs, and Hartman, with four hits out of five times up and five runs, again were leaders in batting for the Boys.

Crossley held the opponents safe and gave way to Shaw in the fifth.

THRILLS APLENTY were issued the fans in Wednesday night's game when the Mexican Colony took the measure of the Lions Club, last year's champions. A four-run outburst in the ninth inning finished the clubmen, who lost 8 to 4.

All of the Lions' run came in the sixth. Going into that round trailing, 0 to 4, the clubmen combined four singles with three errors and scored four times to knot it up. Both teams drew blanks in the seventh and eighth and then came the big blow-up.

AN ERROR started it all, Olvera reaching first when a tall one to center was muffed. Frank Prieto tripled to break the deadlock. After Herrera grounded out, Jarado hit a home run, scoring Prieto ahead of him. Quiriz's double, scoring Santa Cruz, who had singled from first base, made in 3 to 4 and Kettmann, who had relieved LaRue after Prieto's triple, got the next two men. Prieto stemmed an incipient Lions rally in the ninth, retiring the side after the first man up singled.

Monday Night R H E Bay 20s 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 4 6 6 Boys Club 3 2 0 4 12 4 x 25 19 1 Roberts C. King and R. King; Crossley, R. C. King and R. King; Crossley, Shaw and Sandefur, Allen.

Wednesday night R H E Mex. Col. 0 1 0 1 0 2 0 0 4-8 9 3 Lions Cl. 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 4 6 5 Prieto and Canales; LaRue, Kettmann and Gorham.

MORE ABOUT . . .

4-Vote Defeat . . .

for the election was 1206. Out of this number, proponents needed 804 to win and opponents 403 to block the plan.

SO THE PLAN failed by four votes, the narrowest margin in the most exciting campaign and election in the city's history.

Future plans for the Community Hospital and other civic projects involved in the Torney plan were not definite today.

And that was the Torney acquisition election—the proposal that the city be permitted to negotiate with the government to gain the property—lost by four votes.

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Complete Program Set Up at Hospital Meet Emergencies; Plan is Tied in With Red Cross and City Disaster Aid

Palm Springs Community hospital this week announced that a complete program had been set up to meet any sudden disaster in the Village or vicinity. The program, Howard M. Jay, consultant at the hospital, said, is designed to tie in with the Red Cross and city's emergency programs.

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Beaumont Cherry Festival Started Today

Three-Day Annual Fete Under Way at Neighboring City

Beaumont, 29 miles up the pass from Palm Springs and one of the first settlements in this area with a history stretching back more than a century, today started celebrating. The occasion is the thirteenth annual Cherry Festival which continues today, tomorrow and Sunday.

The three-day event is expected to attract a larger crowd than ever before in its colorful history.

NOT A DULL MOMENT is the theme of the festival which started today with a flag-raising ceremony by Boy Scouts of Beaumont and entertainment by the Cherry Valley Grange. Queen candidates will be presented tonight at "theater night" at which time Eddie Dean and Roscoe Ates, who appear in the screen picture will also appear in person.

A moonlight dance will start at 8 p. m. tonight.

THE BIG PARADE will be a feature tomorrow with Eddie Dean leading the event. Famous horses and many spectacular floats will be featured in the line of march.

Contest for the honor of Queen of the Festival will be chosen of the Festival will end Saturday afternoon. Contestants are the Misses Thelma Van Valer, Mary Anne Templeman, Curtis Spears, Pat Blaskowsky, Gerry Hussey and Lolita Jacobs. Competition is keen for the title and the final tally should be a close one.

A GYMKHANA has been scheduled for Saturday afternoon with skilled horsemen participating. Following the display of horsemanship, a kangaroo court will convene to try those men who have not co-operated in the whiskerino contest. Fines will be mere tokens as the contest is strictly in fun.

An old fashioned barbecue with all the fixin's will be served at four o'clock Saturday afternoon. Following the barbecue, prizes will be awarded for the "whiskerino contest," with women judges officiating.

CORONATION of the Cherry Queen will take place at 8:30 p. m. in an open-air ceremony at the fairgrounds. The Coronation Ball will follow at 9 at the Woman's Clubhouse.

The carnival will continue through Sunday, with platform entertainment featuring local talent lasting through the day.

Cherry displays will be judged and prizes awarded for the best exhibits. Eddie Dean and Roscoe Ates will be on hand for personal appearances. A barbecue will be held again Sunday, and prizes will be awarded to the Cherry Queen and other contestants.

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CONTESTANT—Thelma Van Valer, one of the candidates for Queen Honors in the thirteenth annual Cherry Festival which opened at Beaumont today and will continue until Sunday. (Guy Bogart photo.)

Jack Donahue Accepts Position With L. A. Firm

Jack Donahue, who joined the staff at RadiOasis last September as traffic manager, and who has been the station's promotion manager since February of this year, left last week to become an account executive with the Pat Patrick company, radio advertising agency, in Los Angeles.

Donahue explained to a Desert Sun reporter that he hates to leave Palm Springs but feels that the summer heat may be just a bit too rugged for the baby the Donahue family is going to be blessed with within the next few weeks.

Although the Donahues are going to Westwood to live they'll be back here from time to time when they are down here visiting Mrs. Donahue's mother, Mrs. Viola Dismore who owns and operates the popular Blue Heaven ranch in Desert Hot Springs.

Faith, like light, should always be simple and unbending; while love, like warmth, should beam forth on every side, and bend every necessity of our brethren. —Martin Luther.

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Realtors Discuss Assessed Values, Control of Rents

Taxation assessments and rent control were principal topics discussed at a meeting at the La Cita by members of the Palm Springs Real Estate board. President Ray Cree presided at the business meeting which followed the breakfast.

In the discussion of several pertinent matters of vital interest to owners of Palm Springs real estate, the question of assessed values came foremost.

STRICT PARITY with like property in other sections of the county is the goal of the local board. The taxation committee reported on progress to date in the effort to maintain assessed valuations of property here on this basis.

It was pointed out that Palm Springs owners feel that local property suffered a much more inflated assessment than did properties in other districts, on last year's rolls.

OPPOSITION to the proposed state commercial and residential rent control bills now before the legislature in Sacramento was voiced in a resolution adopted by the board. Telegrams, citing the resolution and the board's opposition, were sent to Don C. Field, chairman of the governmental efficiency committee, Senator Nelson Dilworth and Assemblyman Philip L. Boyd at Sacramento.

The board went on record also as favoring the effort now being made by the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce to have all rents de-controlled here as has been done in other resort areas. A copy of the resolution adopted was sent to the chamber of commerce.

**Oakland Man Named
D. A. Staff Deputy**

District Attorney William O. Mackey announced this week that Willis B. Gustavson of Oakland, had been appointed deputy district attorney of the county.

A graduate of the law school at California University, the new deputy district attorney entered the service of the county with many years of experience behind him.

Mrs. Horlene Murray, 1189 Buena Vista, left Wednesday for Long Beach where she will spend the summer months. She will return to her home here in the fall.

Cancer Society Plans Rest Home

Plans for a new Rest home for cancer patients, to be built near Etiwanda where it is high and dry, were set in motion this week in southern California.

Funds for the home were being sought and all who wish to contribute are urged to send their donations to G. A. Meeker of San Dimas, Calif., president and treasurer of the society.

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In the current issue of Field

and Stream, national sportsmen's magazine, is an article by Harry

Mann describing a hunt in the rugged southern Montana district,

where he bagged his game using an old muzzle-loading rifle.

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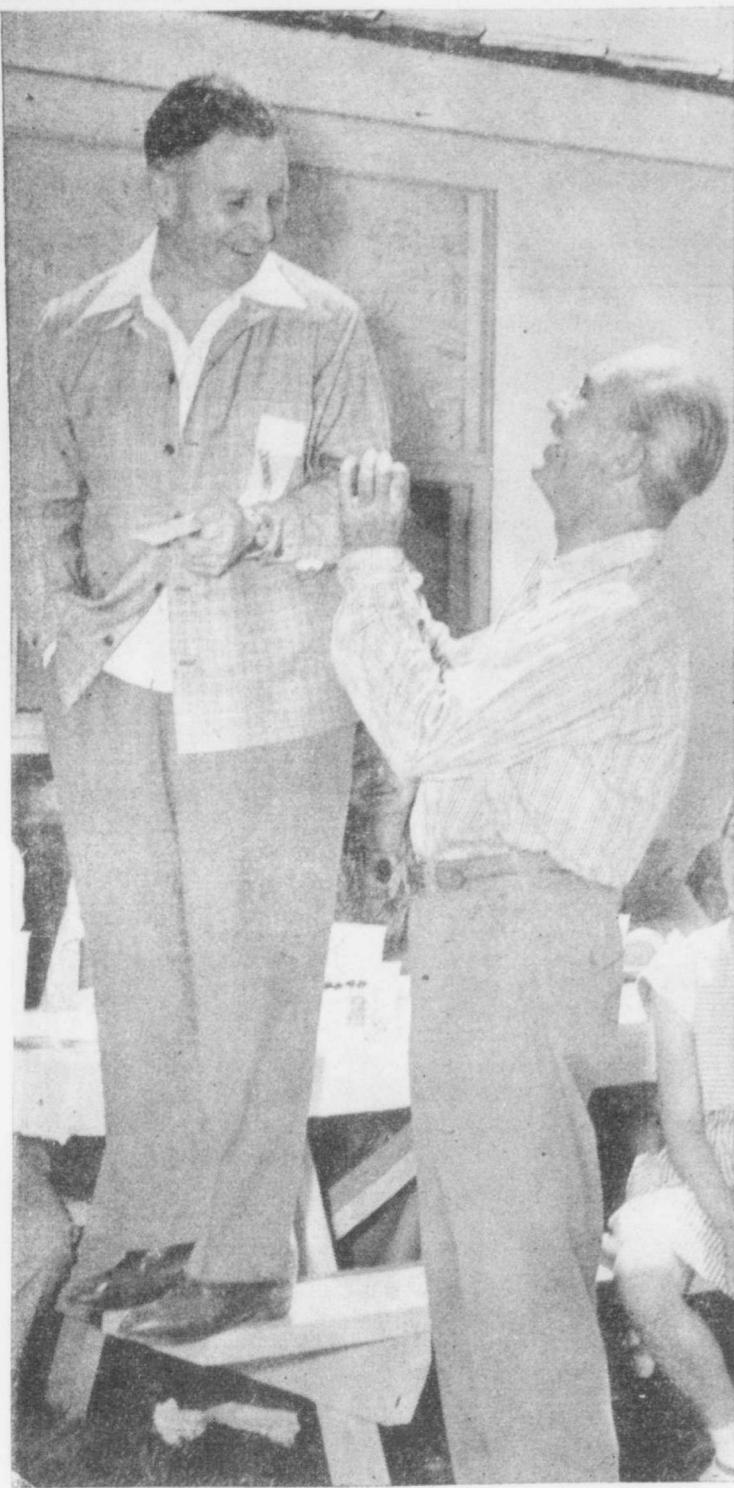
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CONGRATULATIONS—Cliff Henderson, founder of Palm Desert, introduces Herbert F. Pritzlaff, Milwaukee, Wis., at breakfast event at the development, and Pritzlaff, who has spent his winters in Florida for many seasons, congratulates himself for buying in at Shadow Mountain estates where he plans a winter home. Florida loses another one to the desert. (Gayle Studio photo.)

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Local Singers Join In Choir Festival At U. of Redlands

On a recent Sunday the Chancel and Chapel choirs of the Community church participated in a great choir festival at the Memorial Chapel of Redlands university.

Fourteen churches were represented from the Riverside county area. Copies of the music to be used in the concert were sent to each of the various choirs in advance. These choruses were rehearsed and polished for performance by each local director so that when the choirs were united into one large ensemble, with a few master strokes of direction, the numbers were ready for performance.

W. B. Olds, former music professor of Redlands university, composer and choral director, conducted the afternoon concert, which was sponsored by the Choral Conductors Guild and American Guild of Organists from San Bernardino and Riverside counties.

Holly Lash Visel made all arrangements for the singers from Palm Springs and trained them so that they might be a part of this fine musical experience. Those attending were Mrs. George B. Davies, Mrs. Sylvia Cheney, Mrs. Antoinette Komatko, Mrs. Alma Miller, Mrs. Violet Knupp, Mrs. Violet Fowler, Mrs. Leona Markham, Mrs. Ora Windhurst, the Misses Maude McQuillan, Marian Williams, Cherie Mashburn, Hazel Veith, Ed Martin and Roland Vaile.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lux and Mrs. Faye Robinson drove to Redlands to hear the concert. Following the concert the vocalists enjoyed dinner at the Mentone Inn and arrived home late in the evening.

Telephone Co. Official Here

A. C. Belden of San Francisco, advertising manager for the California Water and Telephone company, the telephone division of which serves Palm Springs, was in the Village Wednesday conferring with William Nash, local manager, and members of the local telephone staff. He is on a routine tour of all districts of the company.

"I thought it would be hot here—but this weather is delightful," he said, adding that he was going to come to Palm Springs often and try to make it during the season.

Turkey first was used at a festive dinner, according to one story, at the wedding of Charles IX in 1570.

List Homes With Police, Feel Safe When Going Away

With the end of May in sight and many of the stay-throughers preparing to take off for mountains, beaches or their homes elsewhere, Chief of Police A. G. Kettmann today reiterated his invitation to winter residents to take full advantage of police protection during the months they are gone.

Families, closing their homes here for the summer, are urged to come to the police station to fill out forms which will insure a close check by police of their property.

The forms list names, address, identity of caretaker, where the owners can be reached if needed, and so on.

It is a service inaugurated by the local police department several summers ago and has saved winter residents worry and valuables while they were away.

Letters to the Editor

STUDY DISTRICT PLAN

Editor, The Sun: During the recent campaign regarding the El Mirador property the opponents of the measure published certain statements that were attributed to me and also excerpts from one of my letters suggesting the immediate formation of a local Hospital District.

The first statements were made in a letter of which a copy was sent to Mr. Frank Bennett of the Community hospital, and the same letter regarding the formation of a hospital district was written to both The Desert Sun and the other Palm Springs newspaper; the last paragraph of both letters reading:

"The project of the formation of a Hospital District in the Palm Springs area should have universal support and is one which your publication should investigate thoroughly and promote."

EDWARD R. BACON

THANKS TO THE SUN

Editor, The Sun: On behalf of the United Jewish Appeal, we wish to thank you for your support of our drive.

Through your kind co-operation our campaign, although short of goal, has nevertheless been very successful.

We gratefully acknowledge and appreciate your generous help in so needy a cause.

With best wishes, we remain Sincerely yours,

Stanley Rosin, chairman

Reuben R. Kulla, Sec'y

On the basis of scientific examination of radioactive lead ores from some of the oldest rock formations in the world, the earth's age is estimated at 3350 million years.

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WEDDING PARTY—Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes of Los Angeles, pose after their wedding Saturday noon at the Royal Palms hotel. She is the former Lillian Cherry, an employee of the Los Angeles Times. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hillgren of Palm Springs, at the right, attended the couple. (Frank Partridge Photo.)

Los Angeles Couple Married at Local Hotel

Lillian Cherry of Los Angeles, employee of the Los Angeles Times, became the bride of George Barnes, also of Los Angeles, in the patio room of the Royal Palms hotel Saturday noon.

Judge Eugene E. Therieu read the marriage vows.

The bride, daughter of Mrs. Millie Cherry of Los Angeles, and the bridegroom, son of Mrs. J. D. Stevenson, also of Los Angeles, were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hillgren of the hotel.

Guests at the wedding were Beatrice and Helen Christopher, of San Francisco, Mary Kerhoula of Sacramento, Rose Stine and Ruth Marks of Los Angeles.

The bridegroom with the U. S. Coast Guard for five years and saw service in the South Pacific.

A reception followed at the hotel. The newlyweds will spend their honeymoon in Palm Springs.

Irving Snyders Hosts at Dinner Party at Bombay

Entertaining with a small informal dinner at the Bombay recently were Mr. and Mrs. Irving Snyder. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder had as their guests Mrs. John Chaffey, Mr. and Mrs. George Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood, with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grant and Mr. and Mrs. Newton Hotchkiss made up a merry group at a nearby table.

There, too, with a party of friends were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bennett. Mr. Bennett was formerly one of the top executives of the Ford Motor company in Detroit.

Not Selling

Phil Delano Denies Rumors of Deal

Phil Delano, co-owner of the Palm Springs Drug and Import company today denied that he and his partner John Archibald had sold their drug store.

The story that was current throughout the Village was that Thrifty drug stores of Los Angeles had purchased the Palm Springs Drug company.

"A lot of people are interested in the purchase of our business," declared Delano, "but we are not selling."

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